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Invention: BODY COVER FOR VEHICLE WITH SADDLE SEAT

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed November 16, 2005 (Paper No. 8), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

This Paper includes Claim Set As Amended and Remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.